

# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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One Cent

## LOCAL PEOPLE ARE ASKED TO CONTRIBUTE TO FUND

A movement is on foot in this place whereby a sum to be added to the general fund for the relief of the sufferers from the disaster in Italy will be brought up at the meeting on next Thursday, and it is possible have a committee appointed to look after the matter. It is probable that a committee will be appointed by the merchants association at their regular meeting next week to have charge of the matter.

There are quite a number of Italians in this place from Sicily near the stricken places, but as far as can be learned there are not any who are directly from the devastated part, or who have relatives there. There are a few who came from provinces which could not raise enough to be of much benefit, so took up the matter with a former homes suffered slightly.

## SOCIAL EVENTS OF NEW YEAR'S

## NEW POSTOFFICE AT CALIFORNIA

Entertains College Friends.

Miss Lomas Walton of North Charleroi entertained last evening at her home in honor of Miss Margaret Connally of Brownsville, and Miss Helen Teeters of Monongahela, the latter a roommate of Miss Walton at the Pennsylvania college for women. There were about twenty persons present, mostly young college people who are home spending the holidays. The evening was enjoyed with the usual social diversions. A luncheon was served by the hostess. The out-of-town guests were Miss Connally, and Mr. William Connally of Brownsville, and Miss Teeters of Monongahela.

## CONCERT COMPANY AT SCHOOL HALL

CHARLEROI BEATEN IN CLEAN CONTEST

The Evelyn Bargelt Concert company appeared at the school hall last evening in the High School lecture course with her high class array of talented musicians. The audience was larger than any that has attended any of the course attractions thus far this season, and an appreciative one. From the opening number until the close the company had the closest attention of all present.

Miss Bargelt as a reader, and cartoonist has more than extraordinary ability. She is a capable artist in the production of crayon work, and vividly portrays her subject by readings as she works. Perhaps her cartoons and the reading of the "Exploring of the Pikes" was the best of all her work.

The Stelzl quartet, which appeared with Miss Bargelt, is composed of musicians of more than ordinary ability. They gave a program of much merit of classical musical numbers. Their string quartet was the best, and greatly delighted the audience. The work of Mr. Bernard Stelzl as a soloist was of the superior order, he fully demonstrating himself master of the most difficult music.

## EXCEPTION FILED IN MOORE CASE

## JURORS ARE DRAWN FOR FEBRUARY COURT

In the case of the Naomi Coal company against Mrs. Elizabeth S. Moore in the Fayette County courts in which the preliminary injunction restraining defendant from canceling lease was dissolved, exceptions were filed Friday morning by Moorhead and Smith, and Smith and Brownfield on the grounds that the court erred in dissolving the injunction.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are for weak back, backache, rheumatism pains and all kidney and bladder troubles. Soothing and antiseptic. Regular size 50c. Sold by Piper Bros.

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## JONES FIRES FIRST SHOT IN THE MINES MONONGAHELA

Does Not Allow Any of Miners to Enter Until He Has Found It Safe

Marianna, Jan. 2.—John H. Jones, president of the Pittsburg-Buffalo company, and D. G. Jones, general manager of all the company's mines, yesterday went down into the mine here and prepared and fired several shots before allowing a force of men to resume work.

Everything was found to be in perfect order, the ventilation being satisfactory in every particular. Two eight hour shafts of 50 men each were put to work after the company officials had found that conditions in the mine were safe, and from now on the daily

production will be steadily increased and marketed among the general trade. A. C. Beeson superintendent of the Marianna mines, together with his subordinate firebosses, pitbosses and shotfirers, all of whom have passed the examination required by the state, constitute a police force under the law and they have so organized that it is believed to be impossible for any serious accident to again occur in these workings.

The most expert shot firers to be found have been employed and every shot set off in the mines will be supervised by them personally. In two weeks it is believed work can be resumed as fully as before the recent accident and the product will be in the neighborhood of 200 tons per day. The output of these mines has been contracted for by M. A. Hanna and Co. when the lake trade is open and then will be sold in the northwestern markets. By March, 1910, it is expected, the Rachel mine will be able to lay down 12,000 tons a day on the Hanna company docks at the lake side.

Judge Van Swearingen of Fayette county has handed down an important decision in the outstings proceedings of Justice of the Peace Bowman at Brown. He says the oath of office must be observed.

Bowman was elected justice of the peace in 1906, taking his seat the first Monday of May, that year. He left for Germany January 20, 1908, and has not since returned. The proceedings against him were started last July, after he had been absent for more than six months. There is a statute which provides for the removal of aldermen or justices of the peace for remaining out of their bailiwicks for more than six months.

In Erfur, Germany, Bowman went before the United States consul, where his answer to the role upon him was drawn. In this he contended he had not removed from Brownsville, but was merely upon an extended European trip.

Gipsy Smith the world wide known evangelist is due to appear in Pittsburgh today where for the next several days he will hold meetings, in the Exposition hall. That these meetings will be attended by many is evidenced by the fact that tickets have to be secured three or four days ahead if one wants to secure a seat. Several will attend from Charleroi during different evenings of the evangelists stay.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. It cures the cold by gently moving the bowels and at the same time it is soothing for throat irritation, thereby stopping the cough. Sold by Piper Bros.

Miss Nellie Gibbons was a Pittsburgh visitor yesterday afternoon.

## Badly Burned About Body

James Watson, a well known lad of North Charleroi was badly burned about the head and body on Thursday night, by an explosion of powder. It is said that some boys had stolen some of the inflammable material from the store of S. L. Woodward, and were preparing to go to a vacant lot to fire it off. They first went to the home of young Watson, and persuaded him to join them, without telling him that the stuff had been stolen. The young fellows went to the place selected, Watson carrying a can of the

powder. As he was passing the fire which had been started, one of the boys stirred it up with the result that one of the sparks fell in the can of powder which exploded. Watson was badly burned and Dr. Smith of Charleroi was called. He dressed the injuries. Dr. Sloan is attending the lad who will be confined to his bed for a week or so.

The crew who were charged with the stealing of the powder were given a hearing before justice of the peace Rice last evening and let off with the paying of the costs.

## Accident at Monongahela.

James Carrigan of Monongahela was hurt yesterday at that place, by being thrown from a horse and kicked in the head. The accident was the only one to mar the enjoyment of the day's events. Mr. Carrigan was an aid to the chief marshall of the parade, and was on horseback. When the parade disbanded, he and another man who also had a horse started on a friendly race for a few blocks. They had run

## NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH WHEN GAS MAIN LET GO

Beallsville, Jan. 2.—Charles Hill, Winfred Smith and Luther Elsinger, of this place, and Edward Jackson, a Swede, of Deemston, had a narrow escape from death at 12:45 yesterday when a gas main they were working beside blew up. The four men were buried a distance of 75 feet. Jackson was the most seriously injured. It is feared he will lose his eyesight. The accident occurred at the Kenney pump station at Barney's Run, near Centerville.

The gas line is owned by the Greensboro Natural Gas company. The four men have been engaged in making repairs since last October. They were working along a 10-inch

## WORSHIP IN THE CHARLEROI CHURCHES

Episcopal.

Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Services, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11 a. m., subject, "Our Guide," New Year's sermon. Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m., subject, "This Life The Prophecy of a Future." Rev. Lucius Wilson Shey, rector.

Lutheran

Trust Company Building, entrance on Fallowfield avenue. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Divine worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Frontz. Luther league at 6:30 p. m., at which time will be the semi-annual election of officers. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. At the close of this service will be the annual election of church officers. Also the Treasurer's Report showing the work of the year. A cordial welcome to the public.

Christian

The sermon themes at the Christian church next Lord's day will be, morning, "What Can I Make of This Year?" Evening, "Without Christ." Sunday school session at 9:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A congregational meeting will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. It is very important every member of the church should be present.

Baptist.

Sunday school at 9:45 Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject, "Who is the Lord That I Should Obey Him?" Evening worship 7:30 p. m., topic, "A Good Confession." Communion service at close. Mid week service Wednesday evening 7:45. A welcome to all.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 and 7:30 o'clock. Morning topic, "The Palm-Tree Christmas." Evening topic, "Doing God's Will." In the morning the quarterly communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Baptism and reception of members at the morning service.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

Methodist.

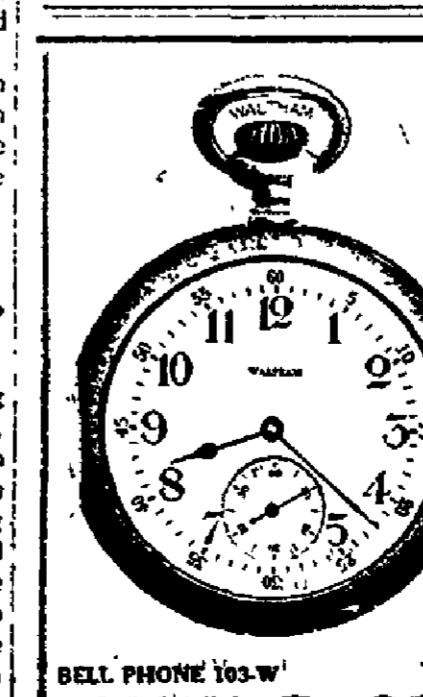
9:00 class meeting. 9:30 Sunday

New Year Opportunities

We prepared for Christmas buying very liberally. Our sales were very large, but we find ourselves with a large stock of Ladies' Watches and Silver Mounted Toilet Articles. The watches are good works in handsome cases; the toilet articles would grace any woman's dressing table. But we have put very inviting prices on them all—prices that should invite your immediate attention and will secure your approval the moment you look at the articles and note the new prices.

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#### Local Agencies

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#### Jan. 2 In History.

28—Titus Livius, Roman historian,  
died.  
1820—Caleb Cushing, jurist and states-  
man, died; born 1800.  
1855—Port Arthur capitulated.

#### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS

Sun sets 4:40, rises 7:21; moon sets  
12:22 p.m.; 1 a.m. earth at perihelion.  
Mercury approaches sun, 3:250,000  
miles nearer than July 3; maximum of  
the 2 day period for Quadrantid group  
of meteors; 4:30 a.m. moon at greatest  
distance west.

#### Jan. 3 In History.

207 B.C.—Marcus Tullius Cicero,  
Roman orator, born, assassinated  
43 B.C.  
1790—Benedict Arnold, brilliant Ameri-  
can soldier, who deserted to the  
British after a vain attempt to  
revert West Point into the  
hands, born in Norwich Conn.  
died 1801.

1776—Washington defeated the Brit-  
ish at Princeton, N.J.

1820—Raeford noted actress, died  
1820.  
1865—Japanese troops took pos-  
session of Port Arthur.

#### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS

Sun sets 4:41, rises 7:21; moon sets

12:22 p.m.; 1 a.m. earth at perihelion.

#### Individuality.

You have already been told that all  
kinds of people are required to make  
a world, but it remains for me to add  
that the world would be in a more  
complete state if there were fewer of  
some kinds. You have your choice  
of a thousand classes in the great  
school, and you need not join those  
that are overflowing unless you so  
desire. If you wish to merge your  
individuality into one of which your  
own will be a ten-thousandth part,  
there are many opportunities. You  
need not look to one. You can soak  
your hide full of valley tan every day  
in the year for every year of your  
short life, ride the robust width el-  
ement all night, and imagine you are  
a maddening interesting sort of fellow,  
but you are not. Your class may be  
interesting from some points of view,  
but you are not. You are just an  
item in the great department you  
represent. One blue jay bird in a  
tree looks like any other blue jay  
bird.

Individuality springs from original-  
ity, but do not get the idea that the  
higher quality will make you an in-  
dividual. You may find an original  
idea for getting a bottle to your  
mouth or invent a sleeve that will  
fill five acres, and be just the com-  
mon lace cuss with a full blown nose  
that I spoke of before. People who  
struggle for individuality by new  
methods of burglary and kindred play-  
fulness finally lose the little they  
have gained in the confining atmos-  
phere of a prison cell.

If you have a true individuality it  
will show itself in your absence from  
ring corners and cock fights; it  
will get you a job when atoms are  
fighting for a crumb; it will glisten  
in your eye and shine in your smile.

# Special Sale

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of honesty, frankness, kindness and  
righteousness. Cultivate those and  
you will be in a class where the head  
is no, so hard to attain as in the  
overcrowded, struggling schools of  
vice and dishonor.

#### The Mercantile Tax.

Auditor Young of this state does  
not want the Mercantile tax law re-  
pealed on the ground that it would  
reduce the revenue too much. He  
says that if the tax should be repealed  
the revenue which would be cut down  
would be about a million dollars a  
year. This may be true enough;  
doubtless it is, but even at that the  
tax could be cut out and hardly be  
noticed. At present there is little

beyond the ordinary expenses of the  
state, and the surplus is something  
like \$80,000,000. The merchants of  
the state who by the way are the  
heaviest tax payers are making diligent  
efforts to have the tax removed  
and it seems in all justice to them  
that it should be.

#### The Gypsy Smith Meetings.

The Gypsy Smith meetings which  
are to be held in Pittsburg next week  
should be a power for good in that  
city. That renowned evangelist is  
one whom all classes aspire to meet.

His ability is well known, and he is  
in such demand that it is hard for  
even the lesser of the larger cities to  
get him. Pittsburg is a place that

is sadly in need of a man of the cali-  
ber of Smith to clean it out, and we  
wish for him the best of success.

If a fool is out of his place any-  
where on earth it is on a farm — Farm  
Journal.

The all-round man tries to be square  
with the world.

Will someone please step forward  
and tell us what the see-saw?

Blest is the man whose wish and  
care.

Is just to be happy anywhere.

The men who try to hide their  
light are few, while those who seek  
to shine in the light of others are  
many.

The kitchen range is not very large  
or imposing, but is a most important  
complement to the cattle and sheep  
range.

The reason so many men are loung-  
ing about waiting for political plums,  
is because they are too lazy to raise  
plums of any other sort.

A Pittsburg detective has dis-  
covered \$1,000 in counterfeit money  
on a man. They shouldn't be too  
hard on him. He may not have in-  
tended or try to pass it on anyone.  
The genuine article is scarce, and  
he may have been only catering to the  
feeling of strength and importance  
which a pocket full of money brings  
to many people.

Fiat life, declares an Ohio pro-  
fessor, destroys the family. The  
brother is in wrong. It prevents it.

Out in Chicago the temperance  
women demand that liquor shall not  
be mentioned in plays. Managers of  
"Ten Nights in a Bar Room" com-  
panies will please take notice.

Of course a bad disposition isn't  
a desirable thing to have, but there are  
ticket.

people who seem to have lots of use  
for it.

A good scrap has put many a man  
out of sorts with himself and the  
world in tune with the universe.

James J. Jeffries, the unwhipped  
king of the ring, refuses to fight  
again. He has won his laurels and  
is content to rest upon them. The  
former champion displays wise judg-  
ment.

Those Pittsburg councilmen are  
being called burglars, but it is not  
likely that all of them will get the  
burglary sentence.

It seems that it would be entirely  
safe as well as appropriate for Mr.  
Bryan to swear off running for Presi-  
dent in 1909. Still, he may object  
that a person contracts habits so  
easily. As he has the habit of run-  
ning it might cause complications for  
him to contract the habit of swearing  
off.

The people who are lamenting the  
unreasonable behavior of the weather may  
experience an unlimited supply of the  
seasonable articles before the flowers  
bloom again.

No one ever enjoys happiness long  
alone, because it slips away from  
every one who attempts to hold it  
away in his own bosom.

January will bring the clearance  
sales for which the thrifty house wife  
is saving her small change.

Under a spreading Merry Wil-

The village beauty stands,

The beaut, a winsome girl is she  
With rings on both her hands;

And clasped around her shapely arms  
She wears two golden bands.

The graft probe in Pittsburg is  
said to sink deep. We will be able  
to tell how deep when the cases come  
up in the courts.

A London paper declares that  
men's heads grow after manhood is  
reached. Inspection of some of our  
local statesmen inclines us to suspect  
that the blawsted English sheet is  
right.

The Man Ahead.

In almost any newspaper  
You're pretty sure to find  
A lot of gush in printer's ink,  
About the man behind.

There's the man behind the counter,  
And the man behind the gun,  
The man behind the kodak,

And the man behind the sun.

The sleepy man behind the times

The man behind the fist,

The man, alas, behind his rent,

And so throughout the list.

But they've skipped another fellow,  
Of whom nothing has been said.

The fellow who is even

Or a little way ahead.

Who pays at once for what he gets,  
Whose bills are always signed;

He's a blame sight more important

Than the man who is behind.

All the editors and merchants

And the whole commercial clan,

Are indebted for existence

To this honest fellow-man.

He keeps us all in business

And his town is never dead,

And so we take our hats off

To the man who is ahead.

— Australian Hardware and Machinery.

Out For Council.

Frank Riva of Fallowfield avenue

yesterday filed his petition as a candi-

date for council on the Republican

ticket.

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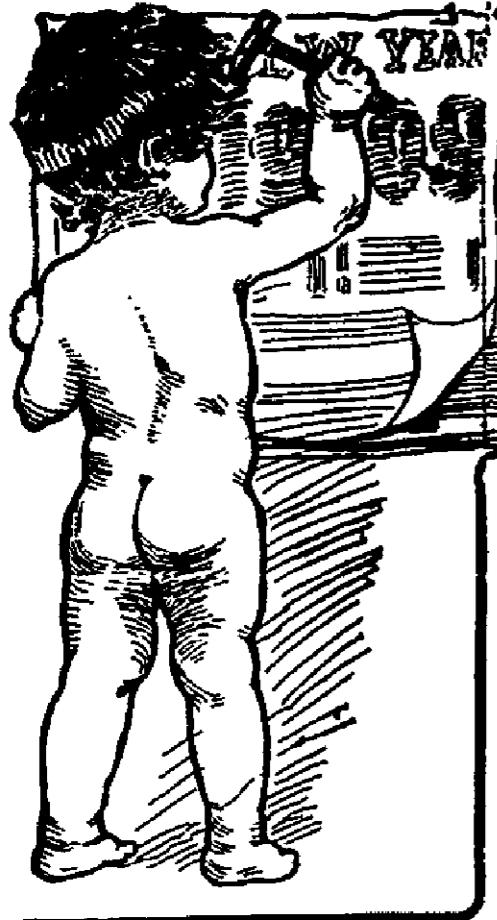
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# PROSPERITY



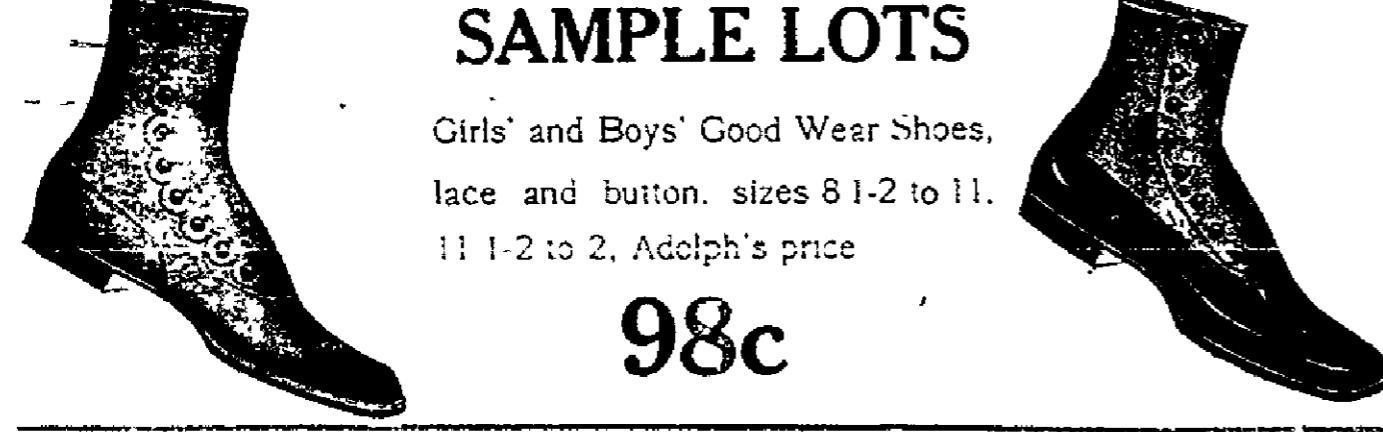
Another New Year is dawning, and with it comes Prosperity. I wish to thank my many customers for their kind patronage during the past year, and assuring them that they will always receive the same courteous attention as in the past. Wishing everybody a bright and prosperous New Year. As ever yours  
ADOLPH

Begin the New Year right. Make a good resolution, to buy your shoes here [and stick to it.] You will find here bargains, such as only Adolph can give. Every pair of shoes absolutely guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money refunded. We start the New Year with a list of wonderful bargains. Read this advertisement carefully. Buy your shoes here and save money. Remember the guarantee that goes with every sale.

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**29c**

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Samples waterproof tan and black, heavy  
double soles; sizes 12 to 5 1/2, \$2.50  
values. .... **\$1.48**

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**89c**

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and dull, sizes 1 1/2 to 8, 75c  
values ..... **\$1.39**

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Sample Star Calf Shoes, lace and con-  
gress styles, sizes 6 to 12, \$2.00  
values. Adolph's price ..... **\$1.00**

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Charleroi.

A Preserve Owner's Sick Trout.  
A man whose experience as a sportsman had been limited to an occasional day's fishing in the mountains bought for himself a place with a fine trout preserve on Long Island. He looked forward with great interest to the last opening day, as that would be his first opportunity to fish in his own pond, and when the day at last arrived the first streak of daylight found him tearing his house, rod in hand.

A day or two later a sportsman friend inquired as to what luck he had had. "I caught plenty of fish, and big ones, too," responded the owner of the preserve. "There are plenty of trout in the pond, but they all seem to be sick."

"Why, what's the matter with them?" asked the sportsman.

"Well," answered the preserve owner, "to tell the truth, we were afraid to eat them. Their flesh is pink, and I never saw a brook trout that color before."

"Don't you know, man," exclaimed the sportsman, with a laugh, "that any trout will turn pink if it lives in salt water? Your pond empties into the sound, and of course the trout run in and out. The next time you have any of that sort of sick trout just send them in to me, and I'll eat them for you with pleasure."—New York Times.

than the rest of us with bounds, but is sooner over-illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News

The Spare Room.  
Like Bluebird's secret chamber locked up tight,

Kept all the year without a speck of light;

A perfectly Imperial brass bed,

With downy pillows and a snowy spread,

A gorgeous bureau redolent of place,

A couch on which twice barbarous to re-

cline.

Some chaises longues cost well, goodness knows the sum,

The furniture upholstered in rich pl.

It's worth your life to even peep in there,

That showy useless room that's called

"the spare."

—La Touche Hancock in New York Press.

Hindoo Confectionery.  
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A Tiny State.  
The miniature republic of San Marino is a mere dot on the map of Europe, being the smallest state in the world as well as the oldest independent

republic. Its area is thirty-eight square miles, only little less than twice that of the island of Manhattan. It lies entirely in Italy, but is wholly independent. Its situation is on the eastern side of the Etruscan Apennines and about twelve miles from Rimini, on the Adriatic sea. The frontier is only twenty-four miles in length, and the population would make only a small city ward, numbering less than 12,000. There is no public debt, and the annual expenses met by taxation amount to \$60,000. The country has bronze and silver currency, coined by Italy, 158,000 lire of the latter and 105,000 of the former. The principal exports are wine, cattle and stone. The military force of the republic numbers 88 officers and 950 men.

#### The Wild Boar.

The wild boar is a most courageous animal. The element of luck counts for a great deal in pig sticking, as in most other forms of sport, and it often happens that the foremost sportsman who by dint of hard riding or thanks to the fastest horse has come up with the quarry is deprived of the coveted honor of "first spear" by a sudden "jink" or turn of the pig. The boar, in spite of his clumsy appearance, is not only possessed of a great turn of speed, but is extraordinarily active. He will turn and twist like a hare, putting every obstacle in the shape of bushes, rocks, water, etc., between himself and his pursuers, but all the time making for the nearest patch of jungle and safety. The race after viz is faster

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Clearance Prices throughout the month of January. Come often to the store and look for the bargains we promise you.



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### Personal Mention

Harry Rideout is in Turtle creek today to be by the bedside of his mother, who is ill.

Mrs. L. T. Jack is spending the day in Pittsburgh with friends.

Miss Sena Mosier, and Mrs. Myrtle V. Stewart are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schuyler are removing to Pittsburgh for a few months. Mrs. Schuyler left this morning for that place.

Miss Dorothy Elscher is spending the day in Pittsburgh with friends.

Miss Mary Chalfant who has been spending several weeks in Southern Pines, North Carolina with her parents, for the benefit of her health was brought home last evening. Miss Chalfant is suffering from tuberculosis.

The Douglas business college will on Monday open for the remaining months of the term, after being closed for a week of the holidays.

J. Christy Roberts leaves today for Ada, Ohio, to resume his studies at the Ohio Northern University, after spending the holidays at his home here.

Mrs. J. A. Crawford of Lookout avenue entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of her house guest, Mrs. W. A. Motek, of York. There were several present. The out of town guests were Mrs. J. V. Cooper and Mrs. Eldred Cooper of Fallowfield township.

Mr. J. H. Short of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor over New Year's at the home of U. S. Orange.

**WANTED**—Boy of over 14 years of age for work around a printing establishment. Apply this office at once.

### BUT 57 IN JAIL AT FIRST OF YEAR

Deputy Sheriff W. B. McBride, in charge of the jail reported yesterday that he has 57 persons under his care, two of whom are women. One of the latter is charged with larceny, the other with assault and battery.

The various crimes charged against the male prisoners are larceny, burglary, felonious entry, felonious shooting, carrying concealed weapons, selling liquor illegally, desertion, surety of the peace and drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

This is the lowest number in the jail for a period of five years. The reason is that in many instances the prisoner enters a plea of guilty and receives his sentence, in this way prisoners are often taken to the work house or the penitentiary. On Monday last five men were taken to the work house.

Beginning today, Deputy McBride expects to keep a registry of all persons who visit the jail, either for the purpose of looking over the building or to call on prisoners.

### NOTICE

Charleroi Savings & Trust Co., Charleroi, Pa., January 1, 1914. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.—The stockholders of the Charleroi Savings & Trust company will be held at the office of the company, corner Fallowfield Avenue and Fifth Street, Charleroi, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 12 M., on Tuesday, January 12, 1914, for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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### Local Agencies

See S. M. G... Charleroi  
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George Clements... Lock No. 4

### Jan. 2 in History.

22—Titus Livius, Roman historian,  
died.

23—Caleb Cushing, jurist and states-  
man, died; born 1800.

24—Port Arthur capitulated.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:40, rises 7:21; moon sets  
2:22 a. m.; 1 a. m. earth at perihelion;  
nearest approach to sun, 3,250,000  
miles nearer than July 3; maximum  
of the 2 day period for Quadrantid group  
of meteors; 4:30 a. m. moon at greatest  
distance west.

### Jan. 3 in History.

207—S. C. Marcus Tullius Cicero,  
Roman orator, born; assassinated  
43 B. C.

229—Benedict Arnold, brilliant Amer-  
ican soldier, who deserted to the  
British after a vain attempt to  
surrender West Point into their  
hands, born in Norwich, Conn.;  
died 1801.

230—Washington defeated the Brit-  
ish at Princeton, N. J.

238—Raquel, noted actress, died; born  
1824.

240—Japanese troops took possession  
of Port Arthur.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:41, rises 7:21; moon sets  
2:23 a. m. and quadrantid meteors tonight.

### Individuality.

You have already been told that all  
kinds of people are required to make  
a world, but it remains for me to add  
that the world would be in a more  
complete state if there were fewer of  
some kinds. You have your choice

of a thousand classes in the great  
school, and you need not join those

that are overflowing unless you so  
desire. If you wish to merge your  
individuality into one of which your

name will be a ten-thousandth part,  
there are many opportunities; you

need not look to one. You can soak  
your hide full of valleyness every day

in the year for every year of your

whole life, ride the robust width ele-  
phant all night, and imagine you are

a middling interesting sort of fellow,  
but you are not. Your class may be

interesting from some points of view,

but you are not. You are just an  
atom in the great department you

represent. One blue jay bird in a

tree looks like any other blue jay

bird.

Individuality springs from original-  
ity, but do not get the idea that the

better quality will make you an in-  
dividual. You may find an original

plan for getting a bottle to your

wife or invent a sleeve that will

hold five acres, and be just the com-  
monplace cuss with a full blown nose

that I spoke of before. People who

struggle for individuality by new

methods of burglary and kindred play-

fulness finally lose the little they

have gained in the confining atmos-

phere of a prison cell.

You have a true individuality if

it will show itself in your absence from

drinking corners and cock fights; it

will get you a job when atoms are

hunting for a crumb; it will glister

in your eye and shine in your smile.

Frank Riva of Fallowfield avenue

yesterday filed his petition as a candi-

date for council on the Republican

ticket.

Of course a bad disposition isn't a

desirable thing to have, but there are

The only true individuality is that  
of honesty, frankness, kindness and  
righteousness. Cultivate those and  
you will be in a class where the head  
is not so hard to attain as in the  
overcrowded, struggling, schools of  
vice and dishonesty.

### The Mercantile Tax.

Auditor Young of this state does  
not want the Mercantile tax law re-  
pealed on the ground that it would  
reduce the revenue too much. He

says that if the tax should be repealed  
the revenue which would be cut down

would be about a million dollars a

year. This may be true enough;

doubtless it is, but even at that the

tax could be cut out and hardly be

noticed. At present there is little

beyond the ordinary expenses of the

state, and the surplus is something

like \$50,000,000. The merchants of

the state who by the way are the

heaviest tax payers are making di-  
lignant efforts to have the tax removed

and it seems in all justice to them

that it should be.

### The Gypsy Smith Meetings.

The Gypsy Smith meetings which  
are to be held in Pittsburg next week  
should be a power forged in that

city. That renowned evangelist is

one whom all classes desire to hear.

His ability is well known, and he is

in such demand that it is hard for

even the lesser of the larger cities to

get him. Pittsburg is a place that

is sadly in need of a man of the cali-

ber of Smith to clean it out, and we

wish for him the best of success.

If a fool is out of his place any-

where on earth it is on a farm—Farm

Journal.

The all-round man tries to be square

with the world.

Will someone please step forward

and tell us what the see-saw?

Blest is the man whose wish and

care

Is just to be happy anywhere.

The men who try to hide their

light are few, while those who seek

to shine in the light of others are

many.

The kitchen range is not very large

or imposing, but is a most important

complement to the cattle and sheep

range.

The reason so many men are loung-

ing about waiting for political plums,

is because they are too lazy to raise

plums of any other sort.

A Pittsburg detective has dis-

covered \$1,000 in counterfeit money

on a man. They shouldn't be too

hard on him. He may not have

intended to try to pass it on anyone.

The genuine article is scarce, and

he may have been only catering to the

feeling of strength and importance

which a pocket full of money brings

to many people.

Fiat life, declares an Ohio pro-

fessor, destroys the family. The

brother is in wrong. It prevents it.

Out in Chicago the temperance

women demand that liquor shall not

be mentioned in plays. Managers of

"Ten Nights in a Bar-Room" com-

panies will please take notice.

Of course a bad disposition isn't a

desirable thing to have, but there are

people who seem to have lots of use  
for it.

A good scrap has put many a man  
out of sorts with himself and the  
world in tune with the universe.

James J. Jeffries, the unwhipped  
king of the ring, refuses to fight  
again. He has won his laurels and  
is content to rest upon them. The  
former champion displays wise judg-  
ment.

Those Pittsburg councilmen are  
being called burglars, but it is not  
likely that all of them will get the  
burglary sentence.

It seems that it would be entirely  
safe as well as appropriate for Mr.  
Brian to swear off running for Presi-  
dent in 1909. Still, he may object  
that a person contracts habits so  
easily. As he has the habit of sun-  
ning it might cause complications for  
him to contract the habit of swearing  
off.

The people who are lamenting the  
unreliability of the weather may  
experience an unlimited supply of the  
seasonable articles before the flowers

bloom again.

No one ever enjoys happiness long  
alone, because it slips away from  
every one who attempts to hide it  
away in his own bosom.

January will bring the clearance  
sales for which the thrifty house wife  
is saving her small change.

Under a spreading Merry Wid-

The village beauty stands.

The beaut, a winsome girl is she

With rings on both her hands;

And clasped around her shapely arms

She wears two golden bands.

The graft probe in Pittsburg is

said to sink deep. We will be able

to tell how deep when the cases come  
up in the courts.

A London paper declares that

men's heads grow after manhood is

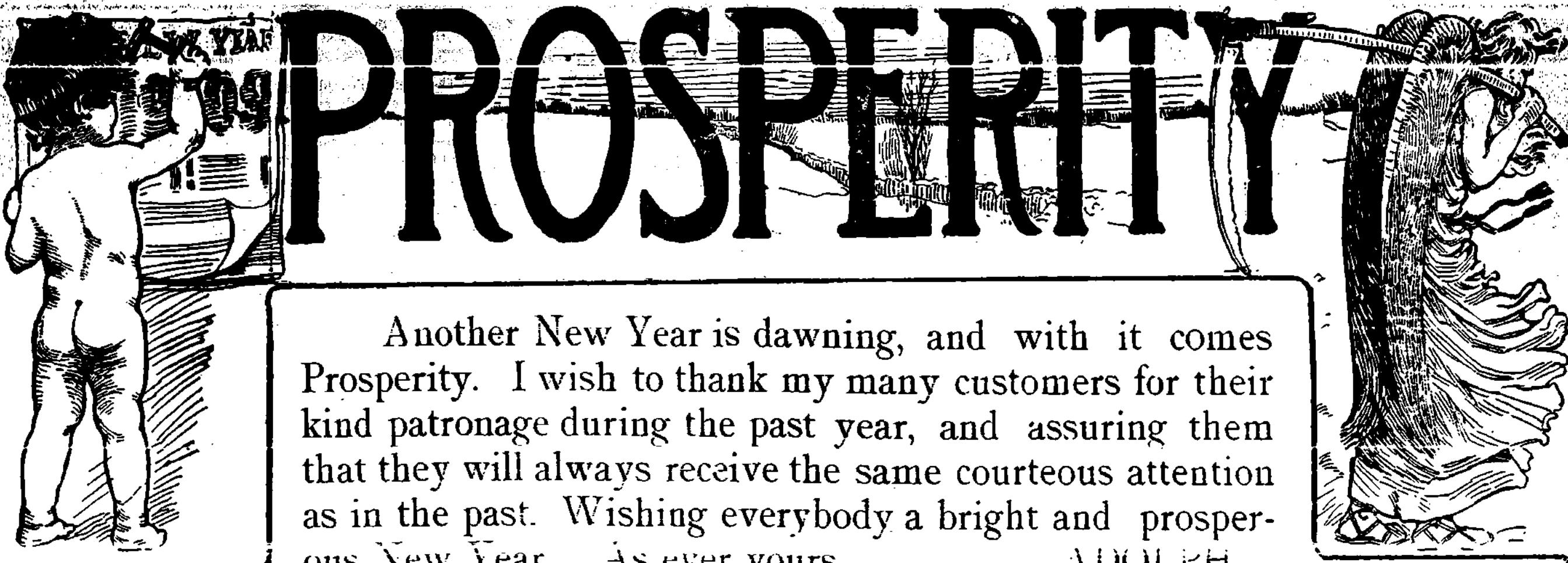
reached. Inspection of some of our

local statesmen inclines us to suspect

that the blawsted English sheet is

right.

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Another New Year is dawning, and with it comes Prosperity. I wish to thank my many customers for their kind patronage during the past year, and assuring them that they will always receive the same courteous attention as in the past. Wishing everybody a bright and prosperous New Year. As ever yours

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Begin the New Year right. Make a good resolution, to buy your shoes here [and stick to it.] You will find here bargains, such as only Adolph can give. Every pair of shoes absolutely guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money refunded. We start the New Year with a list of wonderful bargains. Read this advertisement carefully. Buy your shoes here and save money. Remember the guarantee that goes with every sale.

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Sample Star Calf Shoes, lace and con-  
gress styles, sizes 6 to 12. \$2.00  
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Sample Shoes and Oxfords, patents, tans  
and dulls sizes 11 1/2 to 8. \$3.00  
values.....

**\$1.39**

#### MEN'S

Sample, patents and dull leathers; blu-  
cher and button, \$3.50 and \$4.00  
values.....

**\$1.95**

#### Girls' and Boys'

Samples, 1/2 cut shoes, all  
sizes 11 1/2 to 2. Values.....

**\$1.00**

#### Boys'

Samples waterproof tan and black, heavy  
double soles; sizes 12 to 5 1/2. \$2.50  
values.....

**\$1.48**

#### Children's

Samples, red, tan and black, lace and  
button, sizes 3 to 8. 75c value  
at.....

**29c**

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Sample shoes, all colors, fancy  
tops, sizes 0 to 4. 75c values.....

**19c**

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"I caught plenty of fish, and big ones, too," responded the owner of the preserve. "There are plenty of trout in the pond, but they all seem to be sick."

"Why, what's the matter with them?" asked the sportsman.

"Well," answered the preserve owner, "to tell the truth, we were afraid to eat them. Their flesh is pink, and I never saw a brook trout that color before."

"Don't you know, man," exclaimed the sportsman, with a laugh, "that any trout will turn pink if it lives in salt water? Your pond empties into the sound, and of course the trout run in and out. The next time you have any

them in to me, and I'll eat them for you with pleasure!"—New York Times.

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The Spare Room.

Like Dreiser's secret chamber locked  
up tight.

Kept all the year without a speck of  
light.

A perfectly impertin brass bed.

With downy pillows and a snowy spread.

A gorgeous bureau redolent of pine.

A couch on which twice barbarous to re-  
cline.

Some chairs that cost—well, goodness  
knows the sum.

The furniture upholstered in rich plim-

It's worth your life to even peep in there.

That showy, useless room that's called  
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—La Touche Hancock in New York  
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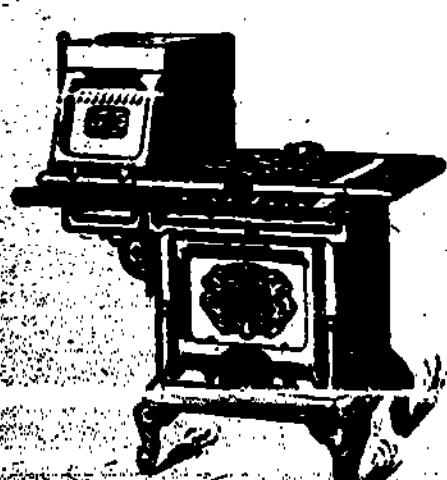
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### Personal Mention

Harry Rideout is in Turtle Creek today to be by the bedside of his mother, who is ill.

Mrs. L. T. Jack is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Miss Sena Mosier, and Mrs. Myrtle V. Stewart are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schuyler are removing to Pittsburg for a few months. Mrs. Schuyler left this morning for that place.

Miss Dorothy Elscher is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Miss Mary Chalfant who has been spending several weeks in Southern Pines, North Carolina with her parents, for the benefit of her health was brought home last evening. Miss Chalfant is suffering from tuberculosis.

The Douglas business college will on Monday open for the remaining months of the term, after being closed for a week of the holidays.

J. Christy Roberts leaves today for Ada, Ohio, to resume his studies at the Ohio Northern University, after spending the holidays at his home here.

Mrs. J. A. Crawford of Lookout avenue entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of her house guest, Mrs. W. A. Morck, of York. There were several present. The out of town guests were Mrs. J. V. Cooper and Mr. Eldred Cooper of Fallowfield township.

Mr. J. H. Short of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor over New Year's at the home of U. S. Orange.

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### BUT 57 IN JAIL AT FIRST OF YEAR

Deputy Sheriff W. B. McBride, in charge of the jail reported yesterday that he has 57 persons under his care, two of whom are women. One of the latter is charged with larceny, the other with assault and battery.

The various crimes charged against the male prisoners are larceny, burglary, felonious entry, felonious shooting, carrying concealed weapons, selling liquor illegally, desertion, surely of the peace and drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

This is the lowest number in the jail for a period of five years. The reason is that in many instances the prisoner enters a plea of guilty and receives his sentence, in this way prisoners are often taken to the work house or the penitentiary. On Monday last five men were taken to the work house.

Beginning today, Deputy McBride expects to keep a registry of all persons who visit the jail, either for the purpose of looking over the building or to call on prisoners.

### NOTICE.

Charleroi Savings & Trust Co., Charleroi, Pa., January 1, 1928.  
ELECTION.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Charleroi Savings & Trust company, will be held at the office of the company, corner Fallowfield Avenue and Pitt Street, Charleroi, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 M. on Tuesday, January 12, 1928, for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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